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Title: **PROTECTIVE LAYER FOR CORROSION
PREVENTION DURING LITHOGRAPHY AND ETCH**

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(X) Specification in 14 pages.

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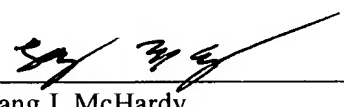
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Non-English Spec.		1053 (\$130)		\$0
Recordation Fee		8021 (\$40)	x 40 =	\$0
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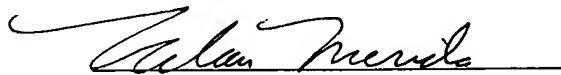
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